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HOUSE BILL 1691

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to kindergarten.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-201(b)(3), is amended by deleting the language "five (5) years of age on or before August 15 each school year" and substituting instead "five (5) years of age on or before June 1 for each school year".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3001, is amended by deleting the language "before August 31 for the 2013-2014 school year and on or before August 15 for all school years thereafter" wherever it appears and substituting instead "before August 15 for the 2020-2021 school year and on or before June 1 for all school years thereafter".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-3001(b)(2)(B), is amended by deleting the language "five (5) years of age on or before September 30" and substituting instead "five (5) years of age on or before July 31".

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to children enrolling in kindergarten for the 2021-2022 school year and each school year thereafter.